

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No. 09/604,158	Applicant(s) BESSETTE, STEVEN M.	
	Examiner Patricia A Patten	Art Unit 1654	

All Participants:

(1) Patricia A Patten.

(2) Willem Gadiano.

Status of Application: Allowance

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Date of Interview: 19 February 2004

Time: Approx. 3pm EST

Type of Interview:

- ☒ Telephonic
☐ Video Conference
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

none

Claims discussed:

11, 34 and 35

Prior art documents discussed:

none

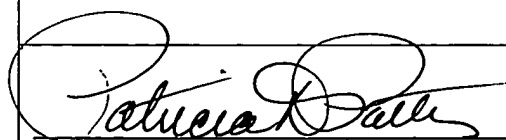
Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

See Continuation Sheet

Part III.

- ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.



(Examiner/SPE Signature)

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: Discussed amending minor informalities in order to place the claims in condition for allowance. Atty. Gadiano suggested some minor adjustments to the claims which Examiner agreed would not hinder patentability. Agreed that all changes would be made by Examiner's amendment. Also, relayed to Atty. Gadiano that amended claim 11 is now obvious over claims 28, 29, 38, 39, 44, 45, 49, 50, 56, 57, 61, 62, 66, 67, 76, 77, 81, 82, 86, 87, 101, 102, 115, 116, 120, 121, 130, 131 and 133 of copending Application No. 10/014,797. However, since this application is ready for issue, no Double patenting rejection will be made, and Atty. Gadiano stated that a terminal disclaimer would be filed in '797. Subsequently, the Examiner in '797 was notified of the circumstances regarding the double patenting.